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Remarks/Arguments

Applicants appreciate the courtesy shown their attorney during the telephone interview with the Examiner on November 3, 2005. In that interview applicants' attorney again pointed out to the Examiner that a Terminal Disclaimer dated April 20, 2005, with respect to patent 6,795,709, had been submitted with applicants' prior Amendment of April 20, 2005. It is applicants' understanding that the Examiner has accordingly agreed to withdraw the requirement set forth in the Final Rejection for a new Terminal Disclaimer with respect to this patent

It was also pointed out during the interview that there was an obvious typographical error in the newly presented claim 35. As requested by the Examiner, that error is being corrected by this Amendment.

Reconsideration and allowance of claim 31-34 and favorable consideration and allowance of claims 35-38 and passage of this application are accordingly again respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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